

MAYSVILLE, KY., JUNE 10, 1868.

Party, in the effort to confirm and perpetuate its power, blunders over principles most sacred, adopts policies necessarily suicidal, and seems effected oftentimes, with that sort of blindness, which under the inspiration of passion, literally rushes to destruction. Neither history nor philosophy has lessons sufficiently impressive, for the education of parties. They can only be taught by their own experience. The leadership of a revolutionary party, almost always passes from its ablest, to its most reckless members. Its very madness invokes defeat, disgrace, destruction.

If any doubt the truth of these assertions, it must be, because they forget the teachings of the very recent past, and shut their eyes to the premonitions of the present. Who has forgotten that time of sadness and sorrow, when the "Union" summoned to the flag, in battle array, the noblest army ever marshalled by any Government on earth? The Union and the Constitution, as handed down from the revolutionary fathers—they must be preserved. The nation said "amen." In the progress of the conflict, which was eminently sectional, it was deemed necessary to proclaim freedom to the slave, and subsequently to confirm the doubtful proclamation, by an amendment to the Constitution. All the while the door of reconciliation swung wide open upon its hinges, and patriotism (a word by the way, never once mentioned in the Bible) with bleeding eyes, wept over the defection of our "errand Southern sisters," who were tenderly wadded back to the embraces of the Union. Finally however, the Appomattox apple tree witnessed the death of the rebellion. Slavery the preservation or destruction of which (we will not now attempt to decide) had caused the war, had received its death blow, and new measures are necessary.

It is said that nations like individuals sometimes bleed. As regards the South, if material prosperity, worldly pride—the result perhaps of a social organization *au generis*, had produced that sort of plethora, which can only be relieved by venesection, surely the South had the full benefit of the practice. She bled in syncope. She needed restoration, and sitting up amidst the Northern nurses, she begged for peace—the quiet, the repose essential to recuperation. Exhausted, impoverished, disarmed, demoralized, she asked pitiously to be left alone in her desolation, until sitting among the graves of her slain she could learn resignation to what she accepted as her fate. When she asked for peace she was promised it, and shortly afterwards garrisons of negro soldiers were sent to preserve and defend it. We will also send, said their generous conquerors, agents of the Freedmen's Bureau to watch over the nation's wards, the emancipated slaves, to protect them against the cruelty and rapacity of their former masters. They cannot read. They cannot sign their names to contract for labor. They are ignorant, degraded, have almost had the lineaments of manhood effaced by ages of oppression. Such was the plea for the introduction of the Freedmen's Bureau.

But the rebellious States cannot remain always under military rule, even, when the military was only used as auxiliary to the freedmen's bureau. Oh no! They must be reconstructed. How? Suffer the rebels to vote? Oh no! That was insufferable. For although they had surrendered at discretion—given up their arms, *they were rebels still*. Nevertheless they must come back into the Union and that too with republican constitutions. The whites, such as will consent, must purge themselves of their treason, and uniting with the loyal element (the negro) must come into the national councils, prepared gratefully to reward the fanaticism which freed him, by giving to it a new lease of power.

Time was, when intelligence and virtue were the only safe basis for republican institutions. The public was taxed to educate the masses *pro bono publico*. But that was the white public. It had to be educated up to the standard of intelligence necessary to the safe exercise of the elective franchise. The negro in the meanwhile, it is discovered, only needs legislation to fit him for the governing power. He, the ignorant, degraded, oppressed, caricature of a man, who needs as the ward of the nation, a guardian to protect him, is the very element from whose loyal heart and teeming brain, at the touch of the radical wand, is to flow the water of regeneration to the treason sick South! And the white people of the nation must endorse all this—must sanction such barefaced inconsistency under penalty of being called copperheads or rebels!

But is the Southern radical disloyal? It certainly hates radical rule. So do we! Yet never did an American revere the Constitution and appreciate the Union it provides more than he whose brain and heart and hand have given expression to these thoughts. Military rule will not make the South loyal. What fool does not know this? Has it made Ireland loyal to England, Hungary to Austria, or Poland to Russia? The South has neither freedom of the press nor freedom of speech in the presence of the military satraps who execute military radical rule over a people who have never been permitted to lose for one moment the consciousness that they were a conquered people. They have been finally handed over to the government of their former slaves, who literally would the form and dictate the expression of radical hate towards the ladies and gentlemen who are subject to the power and of course to the insults of all such men as WADSWORTH and BUTLER. Whatever measures are known as most repugnant to Southern tastes, education and habit, these, the African Solons and Lycurguses, mercilessly inflict upon them a the bidding of their mentors. Sitting beneath the protection of Federal bayonets they tell the white population that they can never become a part of the governing power of their respective States until they agree to attempt to change the organic law, which makes the public conscience, in which they travel and the hotel rooms in which they sleep, and the schools in which their children are educated common to both races.

We have amongst us, here in Kentucky, men who condemn all these measures, but support the men who uphold them. That is, they support for office men they never saw and only know by their public record, and repudiate the principles and policy, without which they know nothing whatever of the men. *Credit Judicis, &c.*

REPUTATING THE EXTREMISTS WITH A VENGEANCE.

The New York Times, attempting to show that the Chicago platform repudiates the extremists on the question of suffrage:

"Well, the platform has not the faintest recognition of the principle which the extremists declare vital. On the contrary, while asserting that 'the guaranty by Congress of equal suffrage to all loyal men at the South was demanded by every consideration of public safety, of gratitude, and of justice, and must be maintained,' the second resolution explicitly affirms that 'the question of suffrage in all the loyal States properly belongs to the people of those States.' The extremists, then, were not so foolish; they are repudiated. The convention which has affirmed the subject to popular judgment. It has instead, reaffirmed its adherence to the good old doctrine which concedes to every State—not compromised by rebellion—entire control of the condition under which its citizens shall acquire the franchise.

Has it indeed? Are you quite sure? The Louisville Journal says: "The 'good old doctrine,' as the Times once understood it, does not concede that a State can be 'compromised by rebellion,' in the sense of incurring a forfeiture of its constitutional rights or any of them but, on the contrary, asserts that the responsible agents of rebellion are not States but individuals, for whose punishment according to the Constitution provides, while omitting all provision for the punishment of States, which are viciously punished or exposed to punishment in the persons of their offending citizens. A State as such, according to 'the good old doctrine,' can not commit rebellion, and of course can not be 'compromised' by it, though its citizens may; but their rebellion cannot compromise the State; it compromises themselves only. The State remains immaculate and indefeasible. Such is 'the good old doctrine,' as once understood by the Times itself; but that was in the good old times, which have deplorably changed, and their New York namesake has changed with them. On that account will not press the point, but will reason with the Times from its present point of view.

The Times now interprets 'the good old doctrine' as conceding 'to every State—not compromised by rebellion—entire control of the conditions under which its citizens shall acquire the franchise.' Waiving the absurdity of the Times's present interpretation, let us see whether or not the Chicago platform affirms 'the good old doctrine' even in this sense, utterly inadmissible as it is. "The guaranty by Congress of equal suffrage to all loyal men at the South," says the platform "was demanded by every consideration of public safety, of gratitude, and of justice, and must be maintained." What does this mean? Does it mean simply that the guaranty must be maintained until the Southern people in good faith have returned to their allegiance and the Southern States are admitted to representation, and that afterwards every one of those States, like every other State, shall have "entire control of the conditions under which its citizens shall acquire the franchise?" The Times evidently assumes that it does mean this; but it plainly does not.

Not at all. It says no such thing. It says absolutely that the guaranty must be maintained. Nothing less or more. It assigns no limit to the necessity of maintaining the guaranty. The guaranty must be maintained without limit,—for all time to come. It is a perpetual guaranty, and must be perpetually maintained. Hence, no Southern State, under the doctrine of the platform, can ever enjoy—what the Times says "the good old doctrine" concedes "to every State not compromised by rebellion—entire control of the conditions under which its citizens shall acquire the franchise." In other words, the Southern States under the doctrine of the platform, will permanently hold a position of inferiority to the other States. They will be political pariahs forever.

The doctrine of the platform is thus not only that a State as such may rebel, and be proscribed for its rebellion, but that once a rebel, always a rebel, and, consequently, always a proscribed. It consigns the Southern States to eternal degradation. The platform, therefore, does not affirm "the good old doctrine," even in the Times's present interpretation of it, but that as it is. It repudiates the extremists only by asserting their views in the most irrational form. It repudiates them with a vengeance. The Times glorifies the platform at the expense not merely of truth but of its own reputation for perspicacity and sense.

GENERAL SCHOFIELD'S INDUCTION TO OFFICE.

At 9 o'clock on Monday morning, Major General SCHOFIELD visited Chief Justice CHASE, and was received, and there took the usual oath of office as Secretary of War, and as administered to chiefs of Departments. He then repaired to the White House, and remained with President JOHNSON until 11 o'clock. While he was in conference with the President, Adjutant THOMAS arrived, and the three officials were in the President's private reception room for some time. General SCHOFIELD received from the President his official commission as Secretary of War, and then left the White House and proceeded to the War Department, accompanied by President JOHNSON, Adjutant General THOMAS, and several members of his staff. They were received at the War Department by General TOWNSEND and escorted to the rooms usually occupied by the Secretary of War. Here General TOWNSEND handed over the keys of the War Office, the archives, &c., to General SCHOFIELD, and immediately thereafter General SCHOFIELD announced that he had assumed the duties of Secretary of War. President JOHNSON then stepped forward and congratulated General SCHOFIELD, and at once retired from the room, returned to the White House. All of the chiefs of the various bureaus of the War Department, headed by Adjutant General THOMAS, paid their respects and congratulations to the new Secretary of War. Among them were Generals WILLIAMS, BRUCE, DYER and HOWARD. All the clerks in the office then called on Secretary SCHOFIELD. General GRANT called and had half an hour's interview. After him came the officers composing the staff, General HANCOCK and staff, General EMORY and staff, and many army officers sojourning in the city called

to pay their respects and congratulations. This formality occupied nearly the entire day, and completed the end of the famous War Department imbroglio.

The beauties of negro suffrage have had a recent illustration in Washington City, where it has been brought to perfection under the immediate auspices of the Radical Congress. On Tuesday there was a municipal election in the Federal Capital, and the negroes and mean whites elected their candidate for mayor by a small majority. They immediately celebrated their victory by a riot. The results of the night's achievements are summed up thus: "One white man killed, seven severely wounded—none fatally; three drug stores assaulted and partially ransacked; two restaurants cleaned out, and four private residences stoned until their blinds and windows were broken. Many of the houses and restaurants were closed up for safety. None of the evening papers of either party show that in any circumstances were colored men injured, and it does not appear that the white men were the aggressors in but one case. Some trace the source of the troubles to a very virulent speech made to the negroes last night by Forney." This is the condition of affairs the Radicals of Kentucky desire to inaugurate among us.

THE EXCLUSION OF THE SOUTHERN STATES.

The following resolution was introduced in the Senate on Tuesday last: "That the States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas and Texas, respectively, shall not be admitted to representation in the Electoral College for choice of President and Vice President of the United States, and no electoral tickets shall be received or counted from any of such respective States, unless at the time prescribed by law for the choice of electors, the people of such States shall, pursuant to acts of Congress in that behalf, have since the 1st day of March, 1867, adopted a constitution of State government, under which a State government shall be organized and shall be in peaceful operation, and such States shall also have become entitled to representation in Congress, pursuant to acts of Congress in that behalf."

The Radicals have added another to their long list of outrages. On Wednesday the House of Representatives gave the seat to which Gen. MORGAN had been elected to COLLEMAN DELANO. It was too gross a violation of decency to command a full party vote in its favor, and several Republicans voted that MORGAN was entitled to the seat. DELANO was sworn in immediately.

The election in Oregon, on the 1st of June, resulted in a Democratic triumph. A Democratic Congressman was elected by one thousand majority. All the county tickets are Democratic except Marion, which gives a Republican majority of three hundred. Portland City gives 21 Democratic majority. The Legislature and county officers are nearly all Democrats.

On Tuesday the Senate refused to confirm the nomination of HENRY STANBURY as Attorney General. We presume that this is to punish him for his able defense of President JOHNSON. It is not probable that any man will be confirmed who will give the President an honest opinion on any legal question.

MARRIED.

WARNER-GORHAM—At the residence of the bride's mother, near Millersburg, Mr. Jacob Warner, of Owensville, Ky., to Miss Lida Gorham, Ceremony by Rev. Dr. Taylor.

WARD-HESS—On the 27th of May, by the Rev. D. E. Brier, Mr. Wm. Ward, of Ripley, and Miss Viola F. Hess, of Dover.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce Judge B. J. PETERS, of Montgomery—the present incumbent—as a candidate for re-election to the Appellate Bench in the First Appellate District, subject to a Democratic convention of the District.

WE are authorized to announce THOS. A. RES-PASS as a candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court of Mason county, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

"BRIDE AND BRIDEGROOM"—Essays for you men on the interesting relation of Bridegroom to Bride in the institution of marriage—a guide to matrimonial felicity, and true happiness. Sent by mail in sealed letter envelopes free of charge. Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Box P, Philadelphia, Pa.

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A CHIEF WITHOUT A CROWN would be no crown at all in the estimation of the boys. A man suffering from a scrofulous humor in the blood is only suffering needlessly, when a few bottles of Dr. J. W. Poland's humor doctor will effect a cure. For sale by J. J. Webb & Bro.

COBBERED WEEKLY BY K. GRAY.
Wholesale Grocery, corner Second and Sutton streets.
COFFEE—Common to choice 25 to 30.
SUGAR—No. 1, 12 1/2 to 14; No. 2, 12 to 14; No. 3, 11 to 12; No. 4, 10 to 11; No. 5, 9 to 10; No. 6, 8 to 9; No. 7, 7 to 8; No. 8, 6 to 7; No. 9, 5 to 6; No. 10, 4 to 5; No. 11, 3 to 4; No. 12, 2 to 3; No. 13, 1 to 2; No. 14, 1/2 to 1; No. 15, 1/4 to 1/2; No. 16, 1/8 to 1/4; No. 17, 1/16 to 1/8; No. 18, 1/32 to 1/16; No. 19, 1/64 to 1/32; No. 20, 1/128 to 1/64; No. 21, 1/256 to 1/128; No. 22, 1/512 to 1/256; No. 23, 1/1024 to 1/512; No. 24, 1/2048 to 1/1024; No. 25, 1/4096 to 1/2048; No. 26, 1/8192 to 1/4096; No. 27, 1/16384 to 1/8192; No. 28, 1/32768 to 1/16384; No. 29, 1/65536 to 1/32768; No. 30, 1/131072 to 1/65536; No. 31, 1/262144 to 1/131072; No. 32, 1/524288 to 1/262144; No. 33, 1/1048576 to 1/524288; No. 34, 1/2097152 to 1/1048576; No. 35, 1/4194304 to 1/2097152; No. 36, 1/8388608 to 1/4194304; No. 37, 1/16777216 to 1/8388608; No. 38, 1/33554432 to 1/16777216; No. 39, 1/67108864 to 1/33554432; No. 40, 1/134217728 to 1/67108864; No. 41, 1/268435456 to 1/134217728; No. 42, 1/536870912 to 1/268435456; 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MAYSVILLE, KY., JUNE 10, 1868.

The Races—Yes, the Races. If we were there.

(By me, we mean editorially.) More than one represented the Eagle on the "track"—and we intended to represent the race fairly. We had at first a good place. Jackson, Baldwin and Bradford favored us. Miller and January were kind. In fact all things were lovely, and the "Anserine bird" was in a most elevated position. We thought after reading the report of the races in the Cincinnati Commercial, Gazette, &c., of the false starts, jockey stunts, true starts, &c., &c., that it was just as easy as anything to be the chronicler of one of our small trials of speed. But when the time came—when in a shed—no—not a shed—but under the roof of a small edifice, a man was calling out in the voice of Steller, \$50 in the pool and how much for Belle, Lee & Co.—\$200 for the next, and how much for the last—and when the bell was ringing, and President Baldwin politely, but in a clear loud voice requesting everybody to clear the track—when Jackson, Bradford, Duke & Co. were all making their silent snarl—how were we to know what to write. If any one can tell us we will give them a full complimentary for the next year, and as far as our readers are concerned we refer them to our reports—if the Secretary makes any subject all the time to the racing of the English law.

But this much we will say: The hurrah was given, the horses went. No, they didn't go, somebody wanted something they didn't get, and therefore nobody went. But after a time all went, and somebody won, and somebody lost, but both were disappointed, and neither was the same again. Bonaparte, Brown, Hodge last won 1-4 to 1, 10 to 12, 10 to 50, 10 to 1, were all mixed in such confusion that it would require a magician to unravel that. A kaleidoscope is nothing to compare to a race course, and our only advice is to go and see. And with this caution also, don't drink, don't eat, keep your heads cleared, with soda coffee, it is still more difficult as it is with coffee, and the other two feet ten inches. Beat that.

J. M. LAYTON has a mare 27 years of age, that had nine male foals in annual succession, which averaged three feet seven inches and seven-eighths at time of foaling, and at the next foal she had twins, one measuring three feet six inches, and the other two feet ten inches. Beat that.

EXAMINING TRIAL—J. M. OWENS' EXAMINATION before Judge Barrett, in Mr. Sterling, resulted in his being held to bail in the sum of \$10,000 on the charge of forgery, which was given by Jonathan Owens and James McCray. The charge of obtaining cattle under false pretenses failed to be sustained.

CAPT. SAMUEL OLDMAN TAYLOR, long and favorably known as a conductor on the Louisville and Lexington Railroad, died suddenly, of a congestive chill, at Louisville, on Tuesday evening. There was not a more courteous or popular conductor in the country than Capt. Taylor, and his many friends will regret his unexpected demise.—Lexington Statesman.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Sarah Hardin Hays, wife of Major Thomas H. Hays, and fourth daughter of the lamented Governor John I. Helm, died at Helm Place, in Hardin county, Ky., on yesterday. A very large circle of admiring and devoted friends will feel the void occasioned by her untimely demise.—Lexington Statesman.

SALES OF LAND AND STOCK. BROWN'S MONTHLY LIVE STOCK SALE.—Col. J. N. Caldwell reports more than the usual number of cattle and an improvement in quality. Prices rather in a drooping condition. We give a summary of the Colonel's report: Fine yearlings at \$58.50; clever 2-year-olds, \$75.45; fine 3-year-olds, corner fed all winter, at \$80.35; 13 long yearlings, \$56.25; 7 inferior yearlings, \$39.00 offered and refused; 4 inferior calves at \$22.10; 13 2-year-old males at \$29.90 per head; six months time; 9 2-year-old males at \$35; 4 yearlings at \$59; several horses ranging from \$60 to \$120; and one cow and calf at \$85.

Horse stock heavy and lower than previous reports. Major Hiller reports the prices of mules well sustained, but comparatively low for the market. A lot of 3-year-olds sold by the pair at \$112 per head; 11 small 2-year-olds at \$77 per head; lot of good 2-year-olds at \$115.80; other indifferent 2-year-olds at \$80 to \$90.

Pitch Kild offered 240 head cattle and sold about half of them, holders generally waiting about 75 cents, which the market would scarcely bear, and most of the heavy cattle were withdrawn.

Extra fat cattle for eastern markets are selling through the country at 8 cents; such, as lately, sold at 75.

We report a private sale of 31 head of extra 2-year-old stock cattle, averaging 1,100 pounds at 75 cents.

FINE HORSES SOLD.—B. F. Vanmeter, of Clark, has sold his elegant saddle gelding, "John Morgan," for the handsome price of \$200 to Logan Raley, of Woodford. Mr. Jar. W. Bright, of Woodford, sold a four-year-old saddle horse last week to Mr. Wentworth, of New Hampshire, for \$500.

THE SUFFRAGE PLANK OF THE CHICAGO PLATFORM.—A Dilemma. The Chicago platform asserts that the franchise of suffrage is to the people of the States. We have already shown that this assertion is doubtful. We will now add to the showing, Nebraska, it will not be denied, is a loyal State; but Nebraska was admitted into the Union upon the fundamental condition that there should be, within the State, no denial of the elective franchise, or of any other right, to any person by reason of race or color, except Indians not taxed, and upon the further fundamental condition that the Legislature of the State should declare the assent of the State to the foregoing conditions, and should transmit a copy of the act to the President. Now does the question of suffrage in Nebraska properly belong to the people of that State or not?

If it does not, the Chicago platform is a cheat. If it does, the act of Congress admitting Nebraska into the Union is a cheat. Here is a dilemma.

A strong dilemma is a desperate case. The radicals are cautiously inclined to choose between the two horns. We content ourselves with assuring them that they must choose. There is no escape. They cannot embrace their own platform without being impaled on one or the other.—Lex. Jour.

AN ANDACIOUS CHAP in Cleveland courted a young woman of that place engaged herself, and was on the point of marrying her, when it was accidentally discovered that he had a wife and several children living with him in domestic felicity at his hotel, a block or two distant from the residence of the deceived girl.

GEORGE BICHAN issued an order declaring the government of Louisiana provisional until the fourteenth amendment is adopted. The order was signed at New Orleans, and the government of Louisiana provisional until the fourteenth amendment is adopted and the State constitution accepted by Congress.

For horses that never trotted better than 2:30; mile heats, best three in five in harness—\$50 to second horse.

Only two horses entered for the first race (2:30); mile heats, best three in five in harness—\$50 to second horse.

James Miller & Co. have a fine lot of horses, and will sell them at a low price. 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